

# DISCIPLINE: Minimum Desktop Hardware

## Discipline Roadmap for: Desktop

Current	2 Years	5 Years	
<b>Baseline Environment</b>  Intel <b>Compatible</b> Processor Apple MacIntosh Pentium IV compatible	<b>Tactical Deployment</b>  Multi-core processors (Intel/AMD compatible)	<b>Strategic Direction</b>  Market Watch	
		<b>Shared</b>	<b>Agency</b> ✓
<b>Retirement Targets</b>  Lower than Pentium IV	<b>Mainstream Platforms</b> (must be supported) Multi-core processors (Intel/AMD compatible)		
<b>Containment Targets</b>		<b>Emerging Platforms</b>  Apple Dual OS	
<b>Implications and Dependencies</b>  – Cannot upgrade O/S and certain application software until hardware is upgraded/replaced			
<b>Roadmap Notes</b> – State Procurement Office to establish best buying practices and vendors for PC purchases. Minimum PC Configuration Reviewed Annually after Adoption by AOC			

# DISCIPLINE: Minimum Desktop Hardware (Cont'd)

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### ■ Discipline Boundaries:

- These are required minima.

### ■ Discipline Minimum Standards:

**Processor:** Multi-core Processors    **Memory:** 1GB RAM

**Storage:** 80GB+ SATA, CD/DVD-ROM

### ■ Migration Considerations:

- Organizations should proactively migrate off of desktop hardware less than Pentium IV based on depreciation schedules and budget.
- Hardware must be sufficient to support O/S and O/S application must be certified by vendor to be supported.

### ■ Exception Considerations:

- Specialized applications with specialized platforms need to be reviewed by AOC.

### ■ Miscellaneous Notes:

- Refer to 'Best Practice' for Microcomputer Life Cycle Service document.

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